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Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

VIA FED EX

**RE: STB Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 568X)
CSX Transportation, Inc. -- Abandonment
Exemption in Franklin County, Pennsylvania**

Dear Mr. Williams:

We represent Frederick A. Fox, Kaye A. Fox, Frederick Armstrong Fox, New Franklin Properties, LLC, and Kensington Properties, LLC.

This is to advise the Board that our clients have elected not to pursue the Offer of Financial Assistance that they filed in the above-referenced matter.

Very truly yours,

BECKLEY & MADDEN

By:

Charles O. Beckley, II

cc: Louis E. Gitomer, Esquire
Mr. Frederick Armstrong Fox